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## RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This reply is being sent in response to the Office Action dated May 5, 2005. This reply is also accompanied by a formal Request for Extension of Time under 37 CFR § 1.136.

Applicants have amended claims 1, 5 - 6, 24 and 33. Applicants have cancelled claims 13 and 17. Thus, claims 1 - 11, 24, and 33 - 34 remain subject to continued examination.